



Better Off Indicators

By priority role identified by the Early Childhood Taskforce and adopted by the State Board

Early Learning

FTF Role: Early Care and Education System Development and Implementation – Convene partners and provide leadership in the development and implementation of a comprehensive early care and education system that is aligned both across the spectrum of settings and with the full continuum of the education system.

#/% children demonstrating school readiness at kindergarten in all five domains of development

FTF Role: Quality, Access, and Affordability of Regulated Early Care and Education Settings – Convene partners, provide leadership, and provide funding for increased availability of and access to high quality, regulated, culturally responsive and affordable early care and education programs.

#/% of children with enrolled in an early care and education program with a Quality First rating of 3-5 stars.

#/% of children with special needs/rights enrolled in an early care and education program with a Quality First rating of 3-5 stars

#/% of families who spend 10% or less of median family income for quality early childhood care and education (those receiving a star rating of 3-5)

Family Support

Priority Role: Supports and Services for Families - Convene partners, provide leadership, provide funding, and advocate for development, enhancement, and sustainability of a variety of high quality, culturally responsive, and affordable services, supports, and community resources for young children and their families.

% of children who enter kindergarten demonstrating age appropriate competencies in language and literacy, cognitive, motor and physical development

% of families with children birth through age five who report reading to their children daily

% of families who report they are competent and confident about their ability to support their child's safety, health and well being

% of children who enter kindergarten who are demonstrating age appropriate social emotional development.



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Health

Priority Role: Access to Quality Health Care Coverage and Services –Collaborate with partners to increase access to high-quality health care services (including oral health and mental health) and affordable health care coverage for young children and their families.

#/% of children receiving timely well child visits

#/% of children age 5 with untreated tooth decay

#/% of children with newly identified developmental delays at kindergarten entrance